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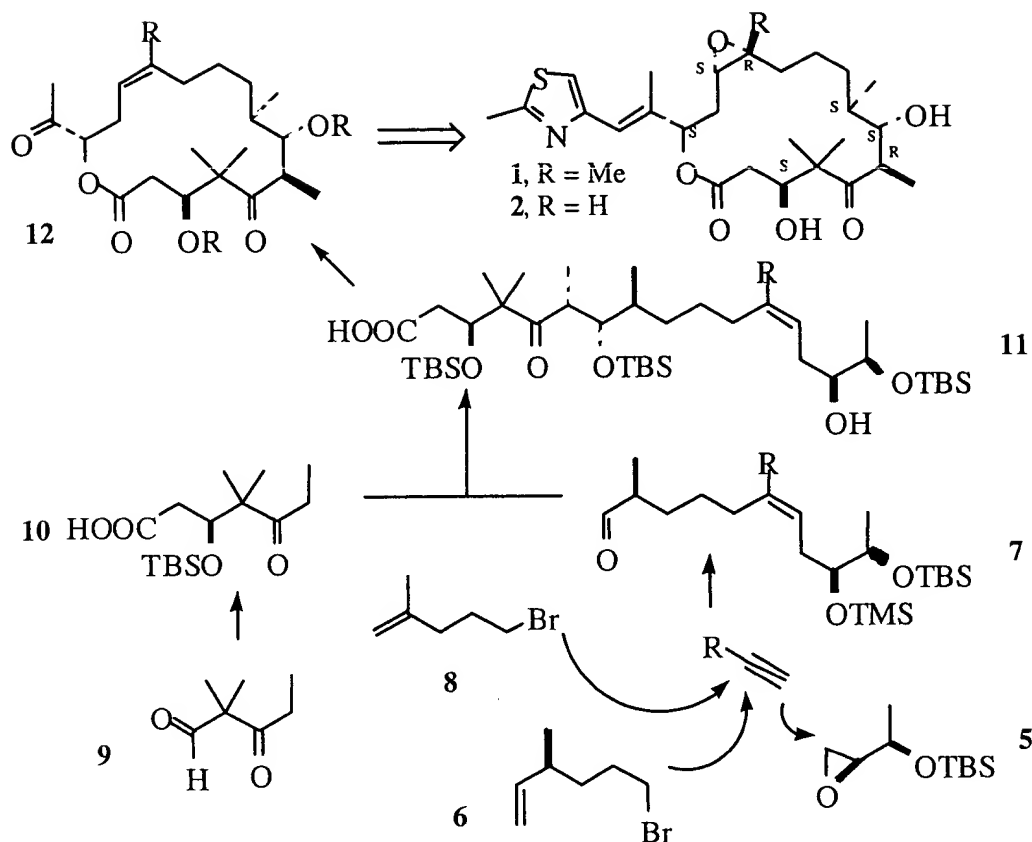


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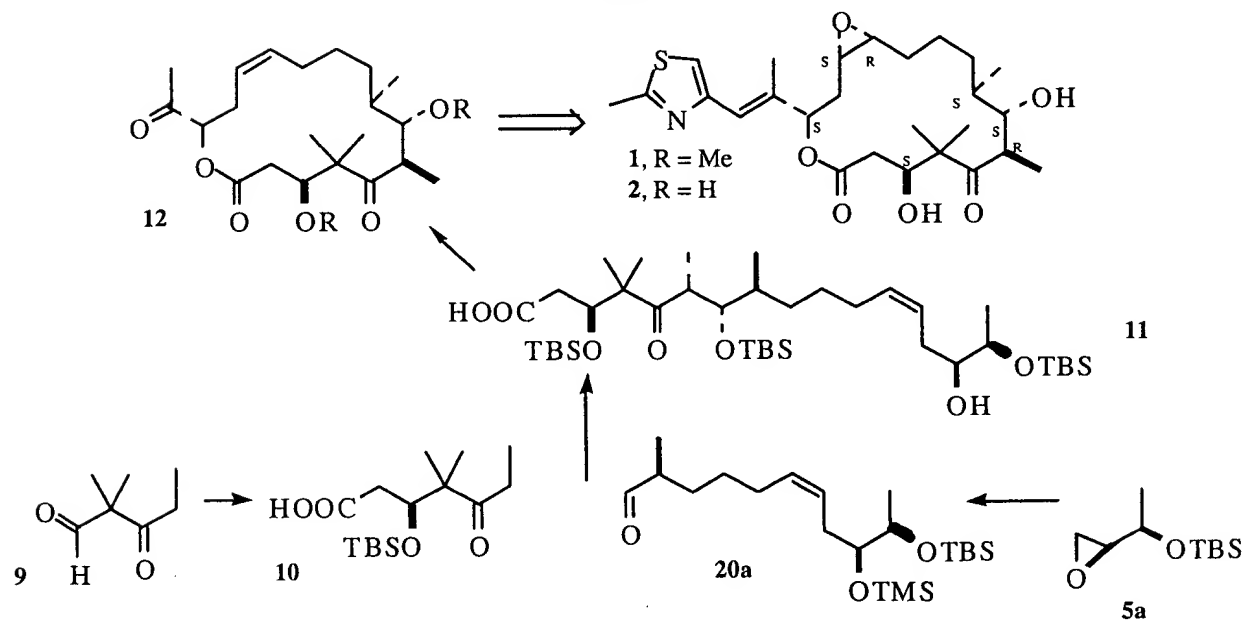
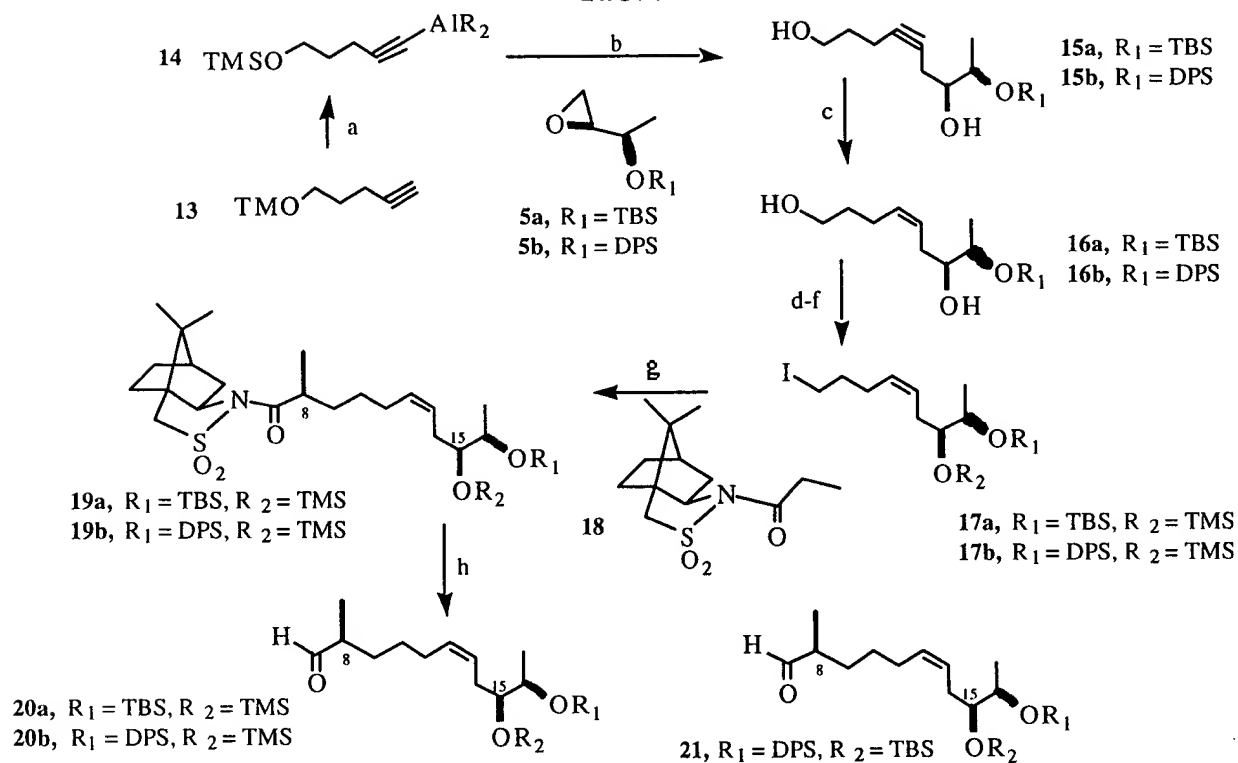


FIG. 3



Key: a) n-BuLi, Ether; Et₂AlCl, toluene; b) 5 then dil.HCl; c) Lindlar Catalyst, H₂; d) TsCl, THF, pyridine; e) TMStriflate, CH₂Cl₂, 2,6-Lutidine; f) NaI, acetone, Δ; g) N-Propionylcamphorsultam 18, n-BuLi, then 17; h) DIBAH, THF-CH₂Cl₂.

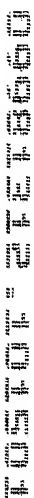
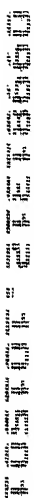
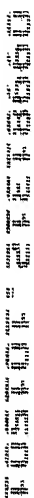
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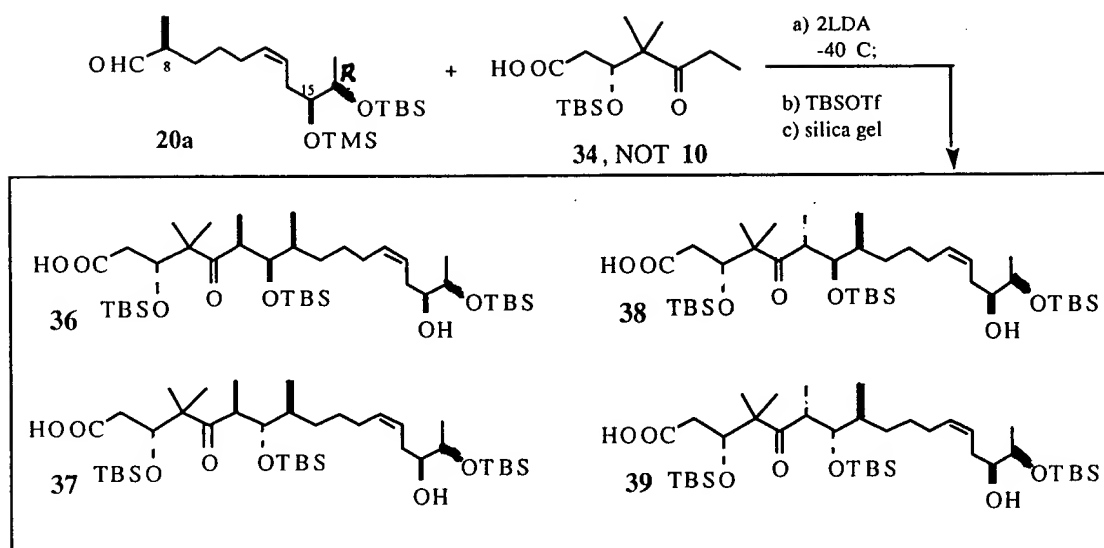
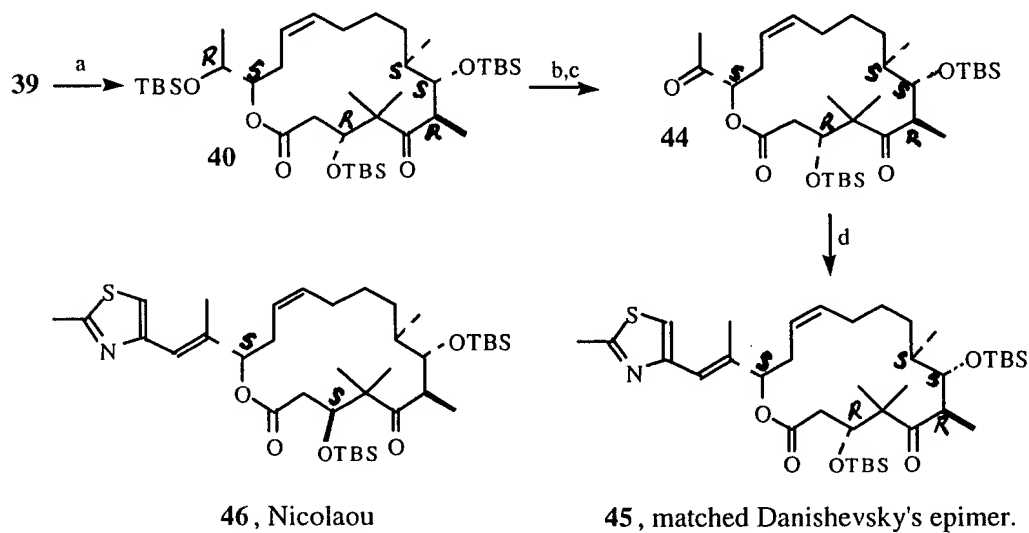


FIG. 7



Key: a) $\text{Cl}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_2\text{COCl}$, pyridine, DMAP; b) TBAF, THF; c) PCC, CH_2Cl_2 ; d) Horner-Emmons: LDA, 24.

FIG. 8

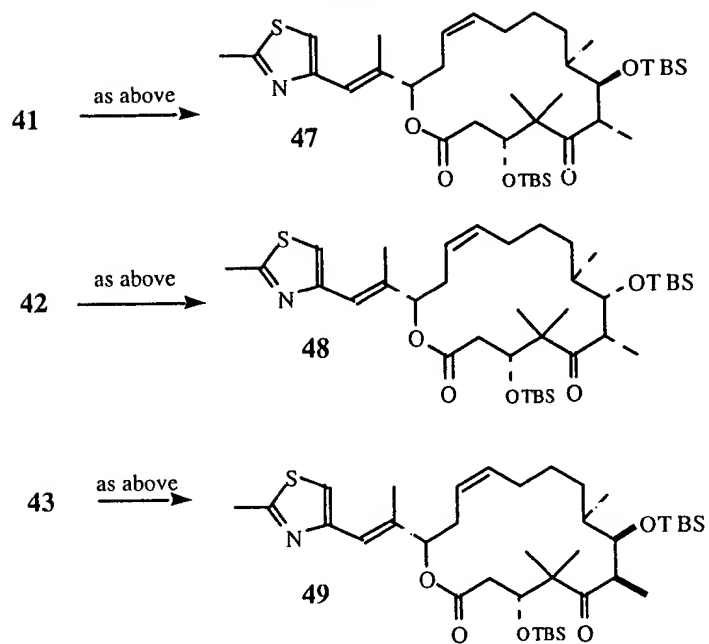
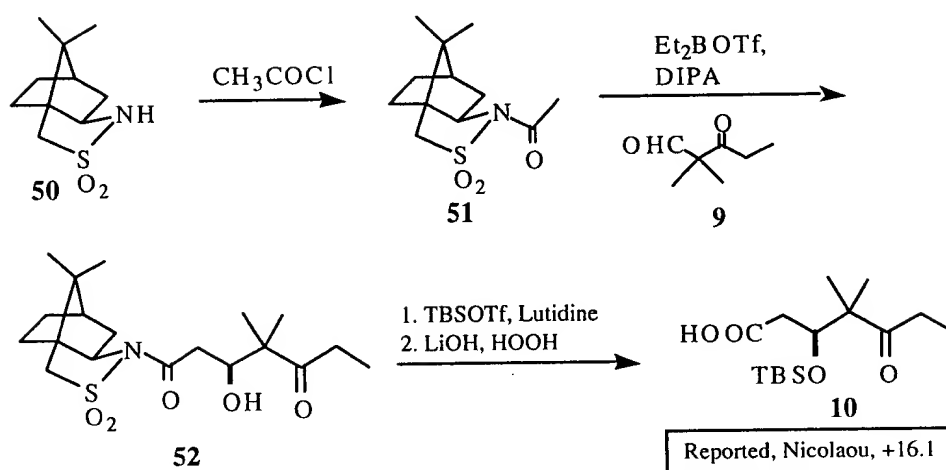


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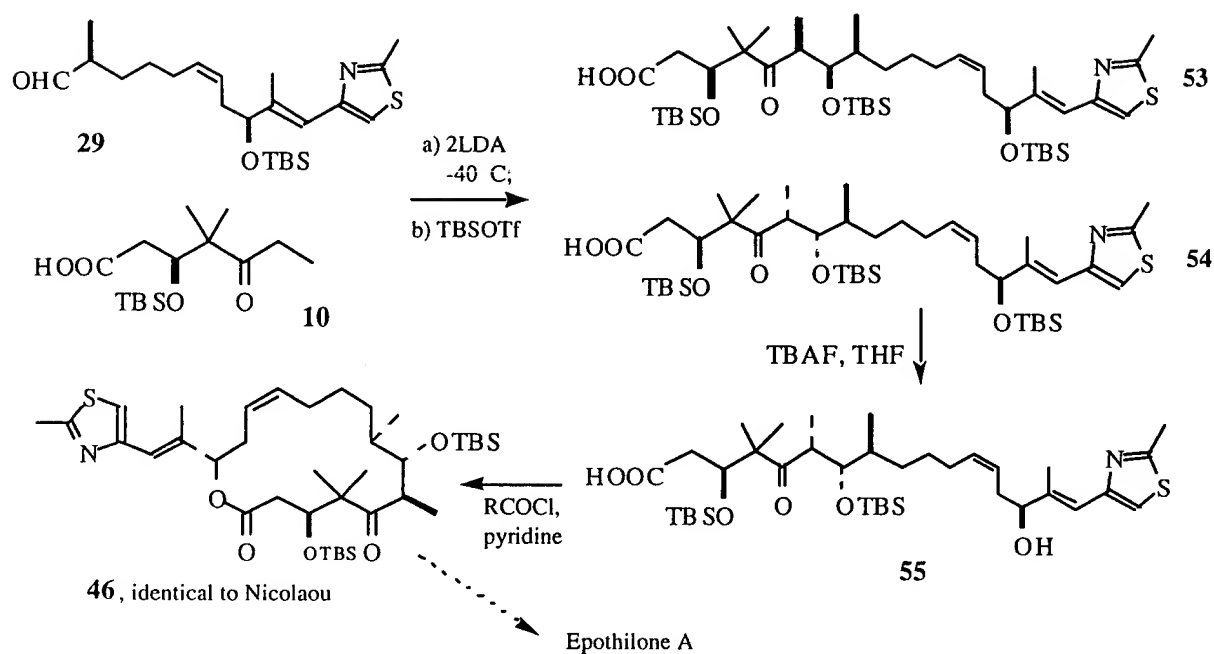
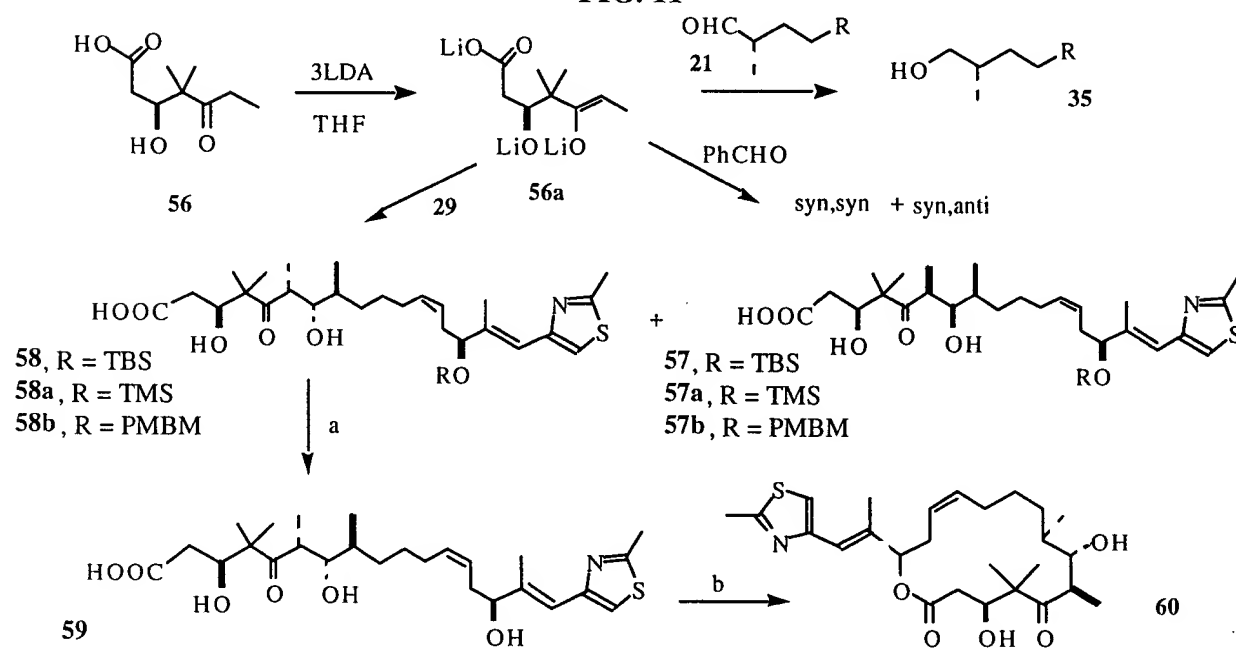
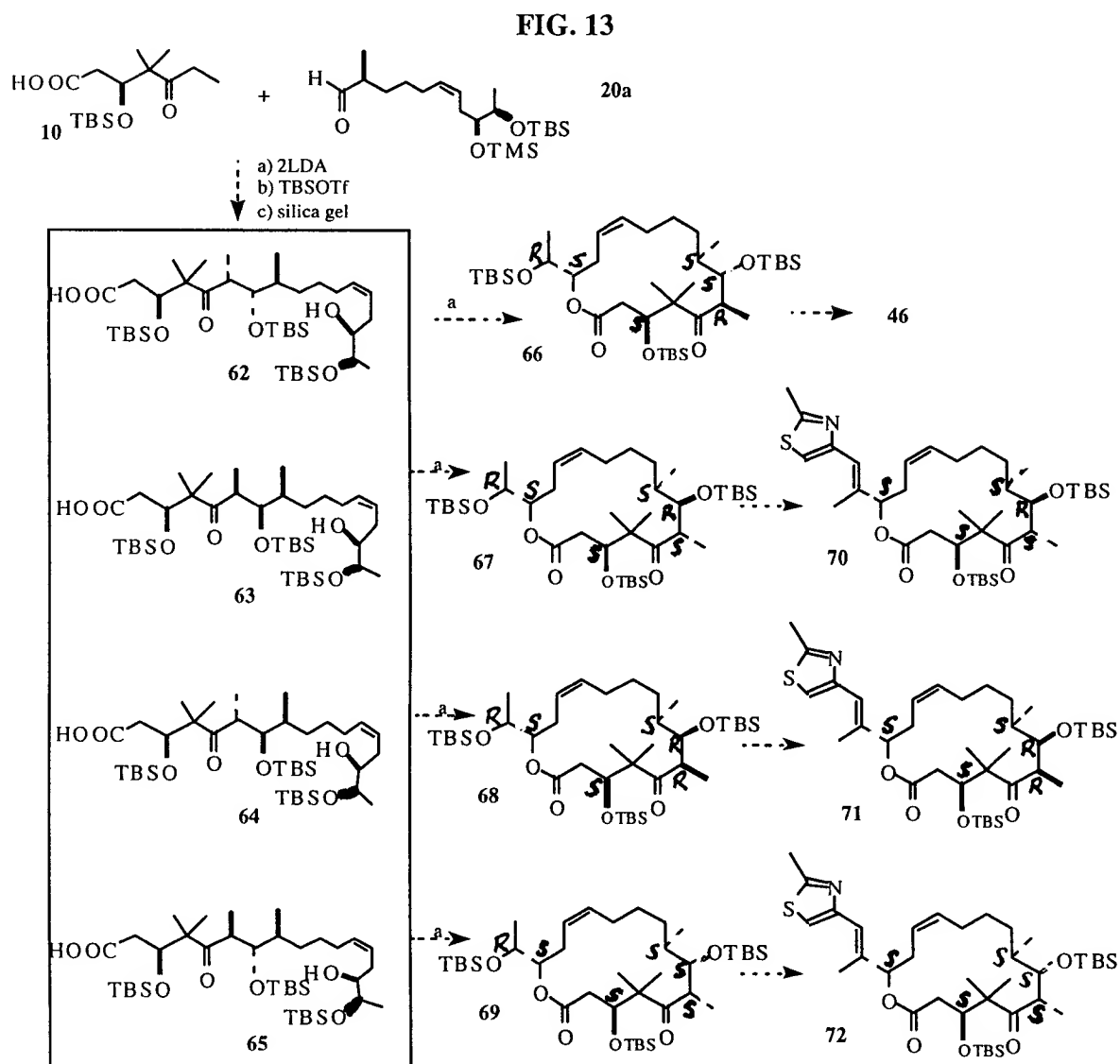
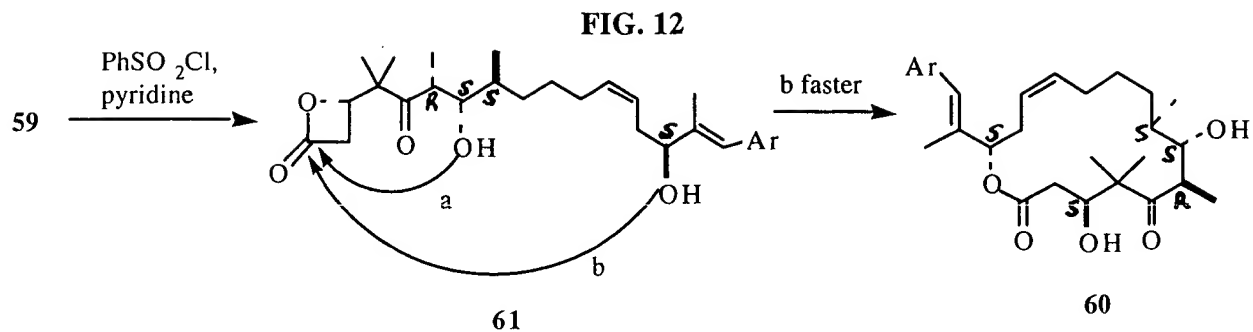


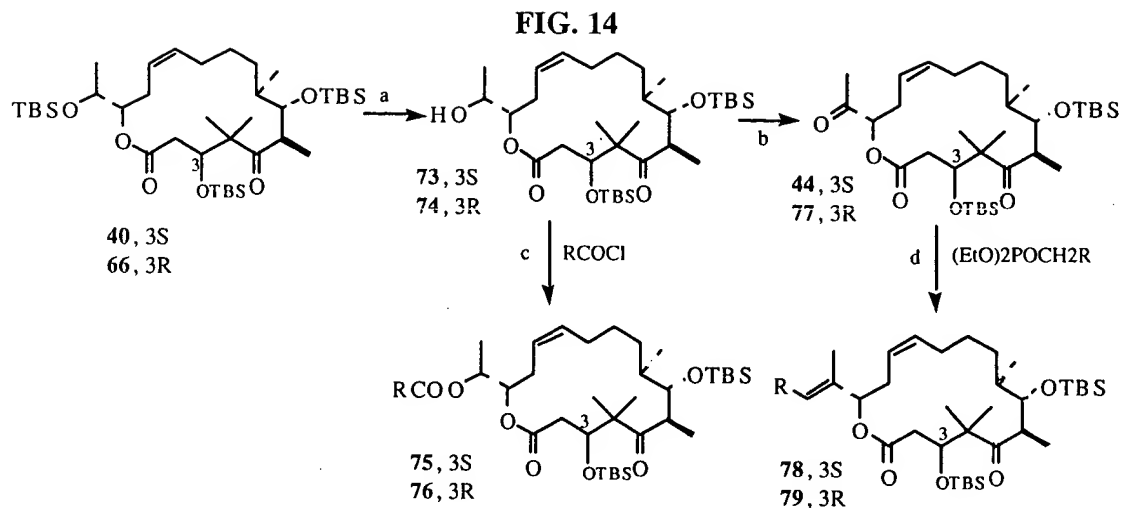
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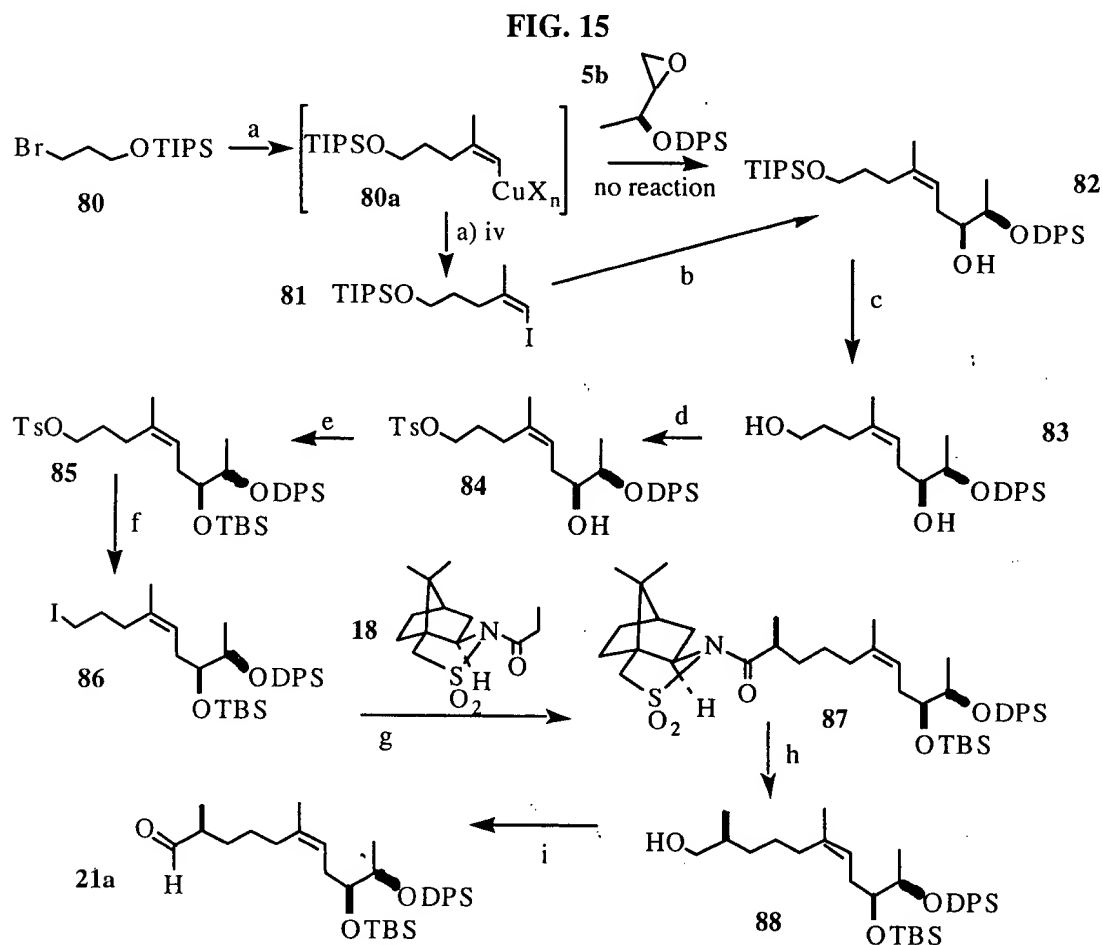
Key: a) 58, TBAF, THF; 58a, chromatography; 58b, dil. acid or DDQ, CH₂Cl₂, water; b) PhSO₂Cl, pyridine, or Cl₃PhCOCl, pyridine, DMAP, CH₂Cl₂.



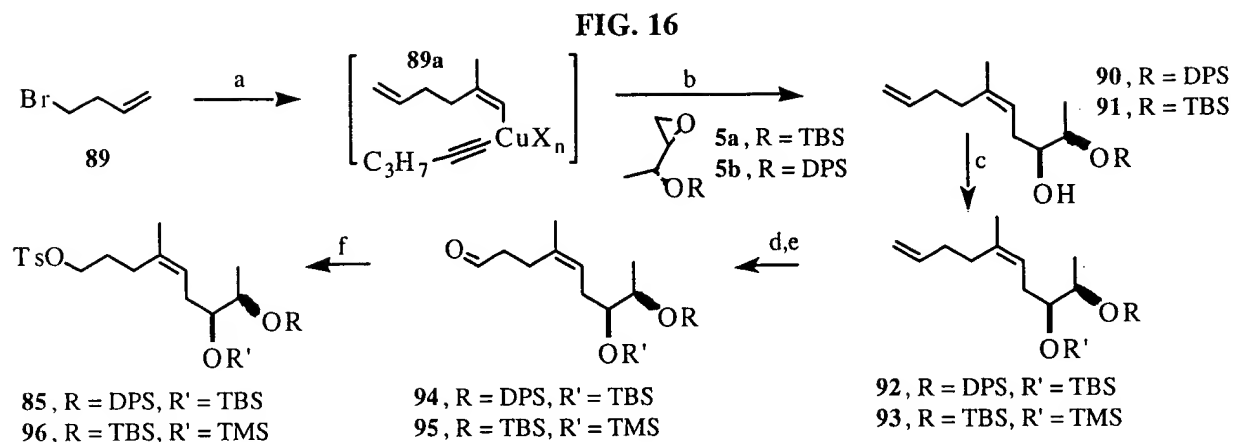
Key: a) as in Figure 7



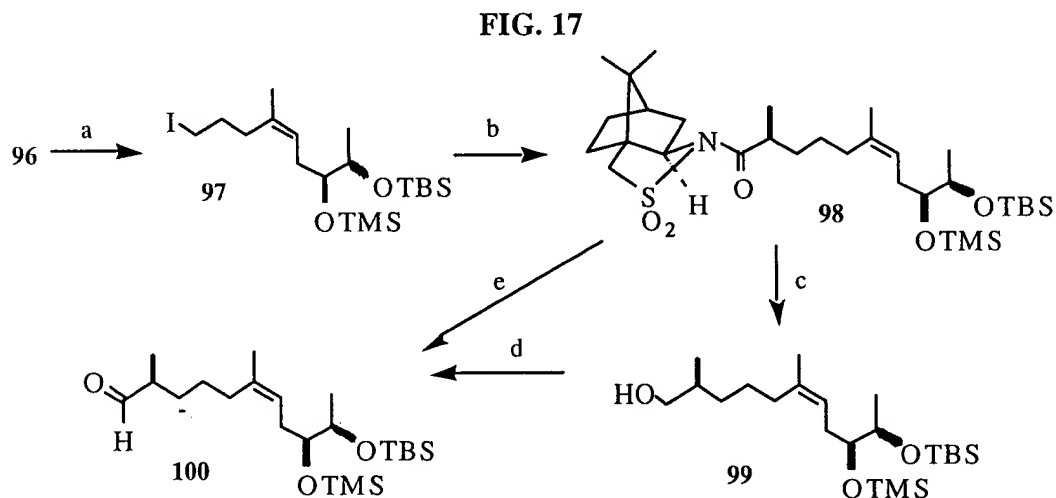
Key: a) 1.0 TBAF, THF; b) PCC, CH₂Cl₂; c) pyridine or DMAP, CH₂Cl₂; d) Horner-Emmons: LDA, **24** or other phosphonates.



Key: a) i) Mg, ether; ii) CuBr•DMS; iii) propyne; iv) I₂; b) i) n-BuLi; ii) Me₂AlCl; iii) **5b**; c) HCl, EtOH; d) TsCl, pyridine; e) TBSOTf, 2,6-lutidine, CH₂Cl₂; f) NaI, acetone; g) **18**, n-BuLi, -40 °C, THF; h) LiAlH₄, THF; i) pyridine•SO₃, CH₂Cl₂; Et₃N.



Key: a) i) Mg, ether; ii) CuBr•DMS, DMS, ether; iii) propyne; iv) pentynyl lithium; b) 5b, -40 °C, 36 hrs; c) TBSOTf, 2,6-lutidine, CH₂Cl₂; d) AD-mix a, e) NaIO₄, EtOH, HOH; f) NaBH₄, MeOH; g) TsCl, pyridine.



Key: a) NaI, acetone; b) 18, n-BuLi, -40 °C, THF; c) LiAlH₄, THF; d) pyridine•SO₃, CH₂Cl₂; Et₃N; e) DIBAL, ether, -78 °C.

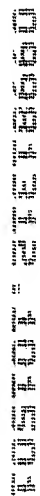
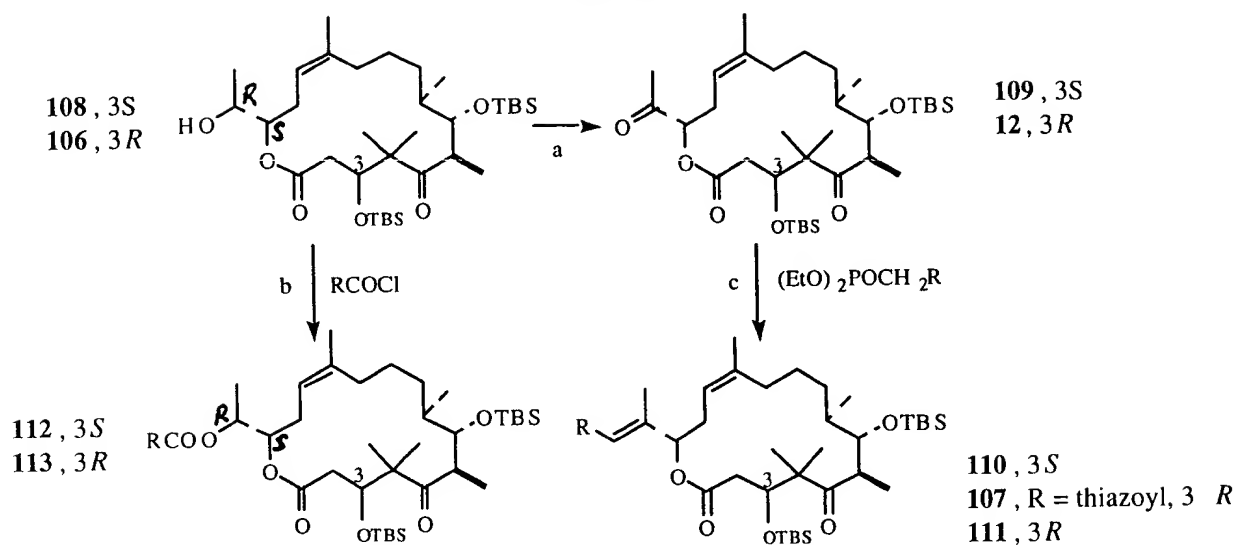
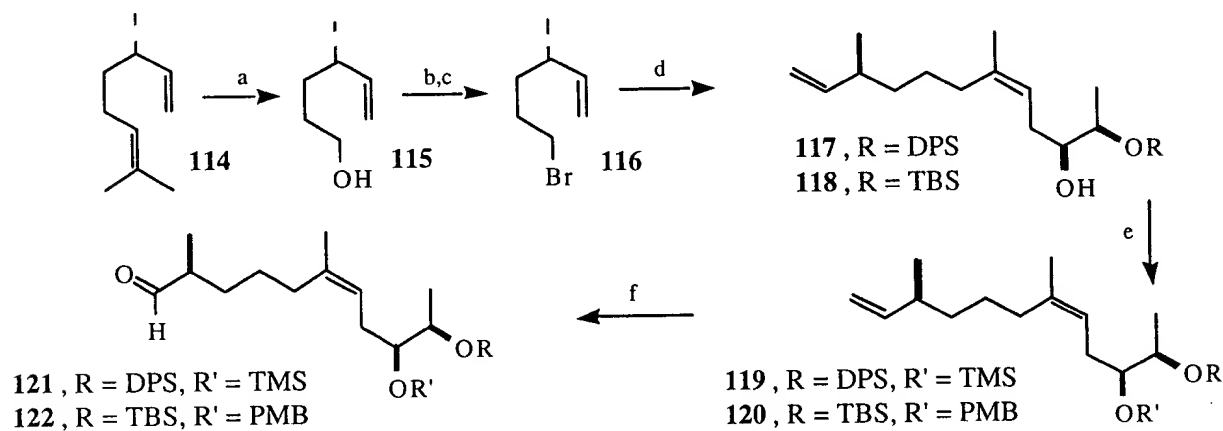


FIG. 19



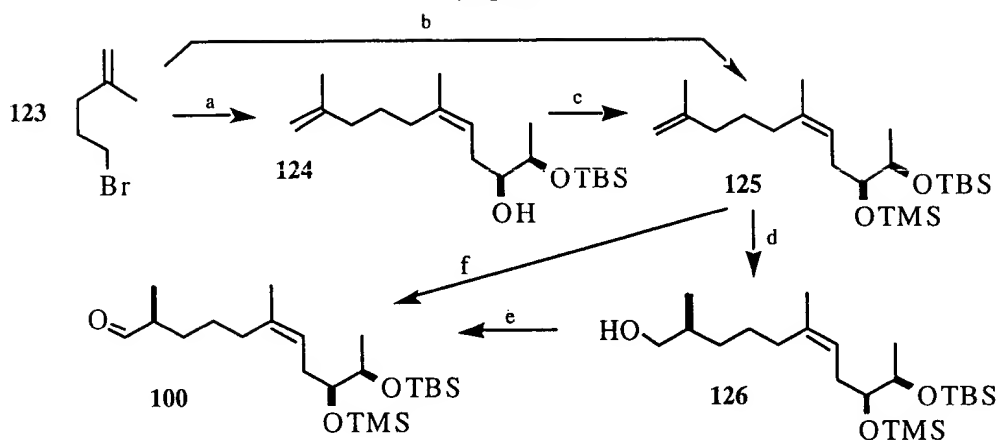
Key: a) PCC, CH_2Cl_2 ; b) pyridine or DMAP, CH_2Cl_2 ; c) Horner-Emmons: LDA, **24** or other phosphonates.

FIG. 20



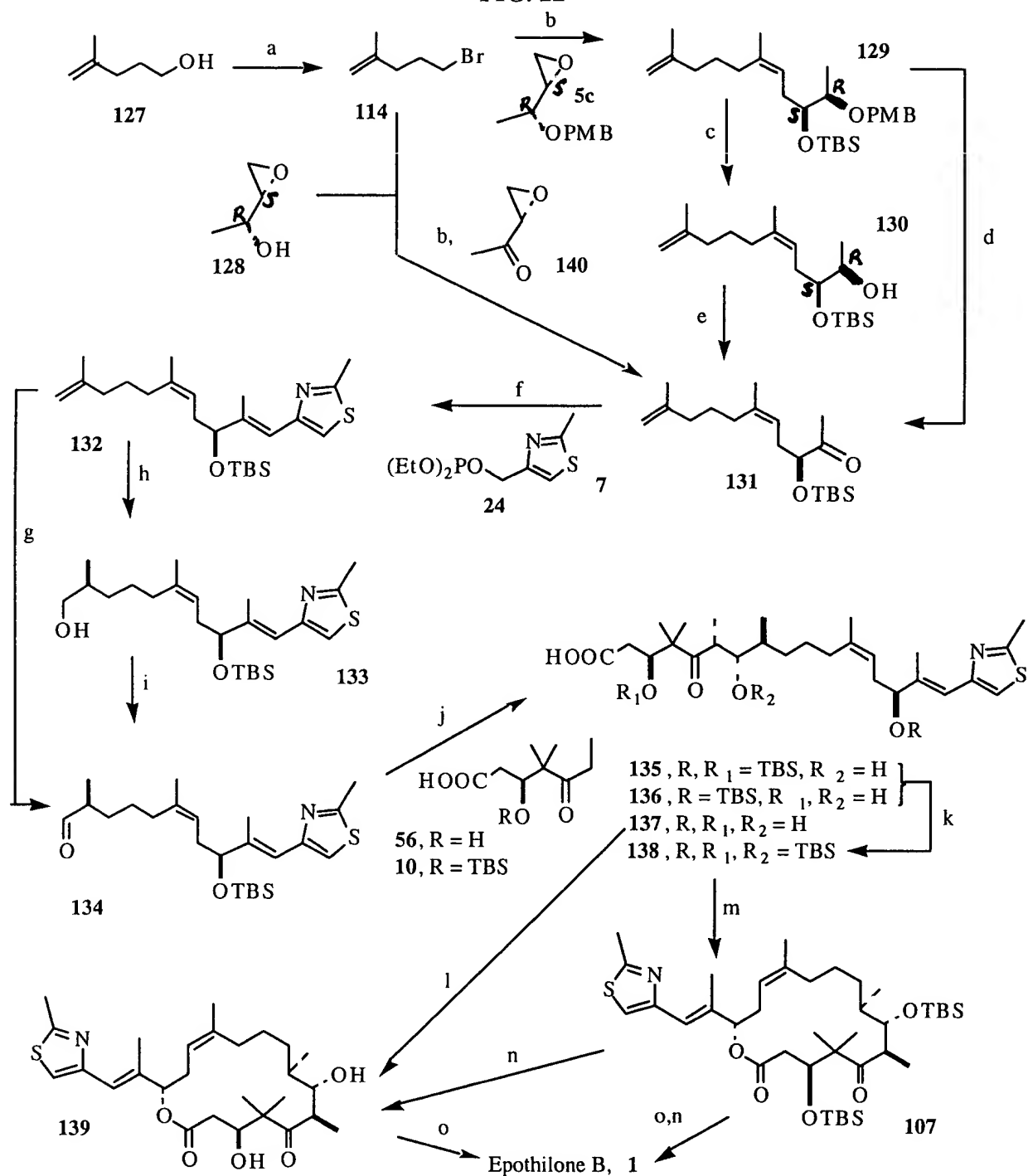
Key: a) O_3 , MeOH, -78°C ; then NaBH_4 ; b) TsCl , pyridine; c) LiBr , acetone; d) i) Mg , ether; ii) $\text{CuBr}\cdot\text{DMS}$, DMS, ether; iii) propyne; iv) pentynyl lithium; v) **5a** or **5b**, -40°C , 36 hrs; e) TMSOTf , 2,6-lutidine, CH_2Cl_2 ; or $p\text{-MeOC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CH}_2\text{Br}$, NaH, DMF; f) ADMix a; then NaIO_4 .

FIG. 21



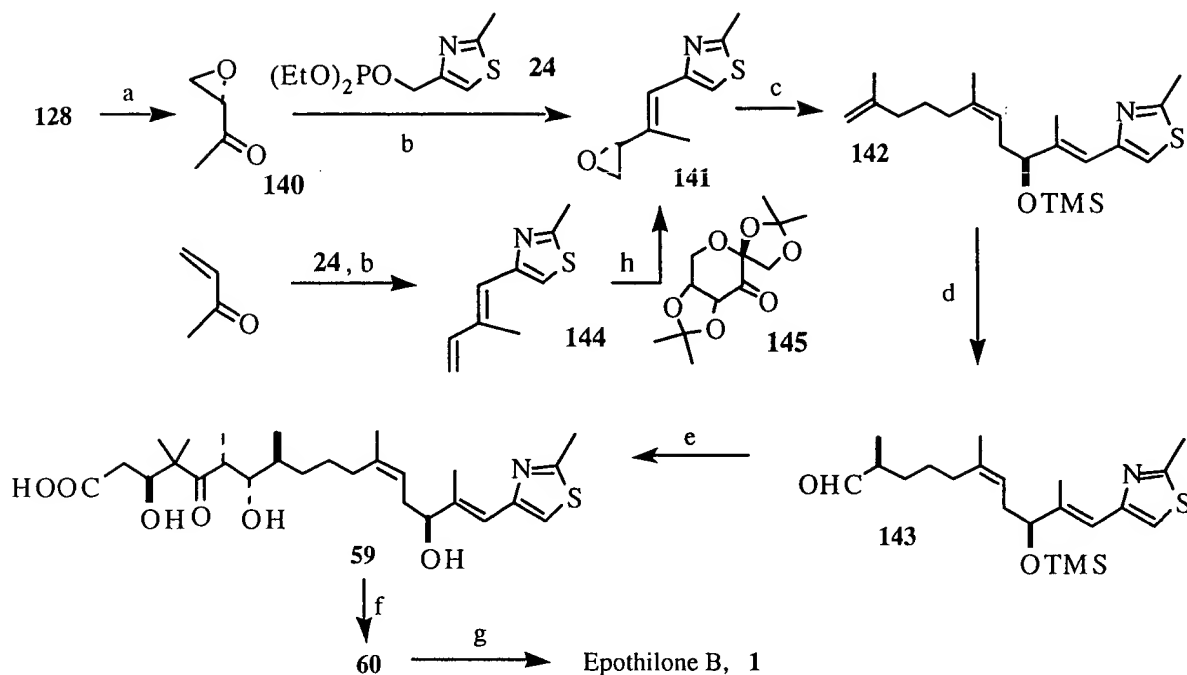
Key: a) i) Mg, ether; ii) CuBr•DMS, DMS, ether; iii) propyne; iv) pentynyl lithium; v) **5a**, -40 °C, 36 hrs; b) i) Mg, ether; ii) CuBr•DMS, DMS, ether; iii) propyne; iv) pentynyl lithium; v) **5a**, -40 °C, 36 hrs; vi) TMSOTf, -78 °C; c) TMSOTf, 2,6-lutidine, CH₂Cl₂; d) (ipc)₂BH, THF, -20 °C; then H₂O₂, NaOH; e) pyr•SO₃, DMSO, Et₃N, CH₂Cl₂; f) (ipc)₂BH, THF, -20 °C; then PCC, CH₂Cl₂.

FIG. 22



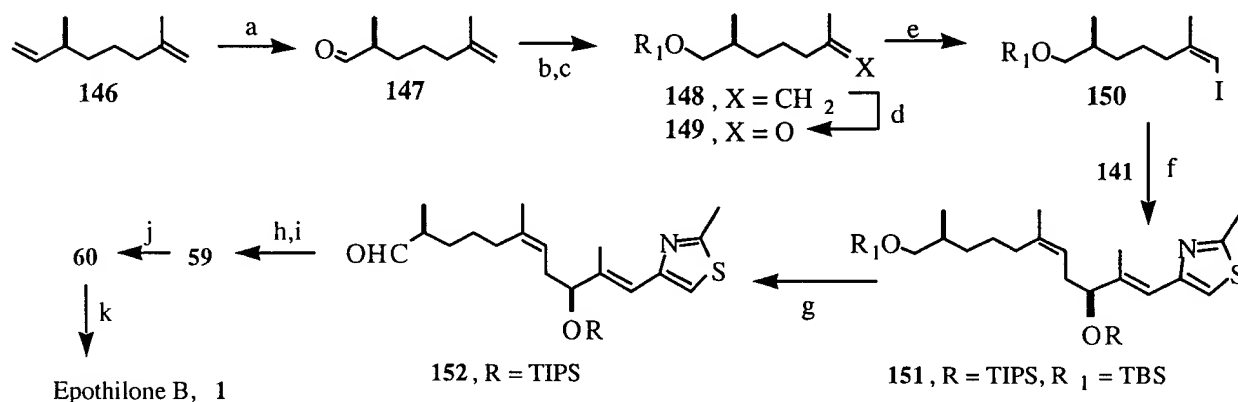
Key: a) PBr₃; b) Mg, ether; then propyne, Cu(I); pentynyl lithium; then epoxide **4**; then TBSCl; c) DDQ; d) Jones Oxidation; e) Swern Oxidation; f) Horner-Emmons reaction with **7**; g) (Ipc)₂BH, THF; then PCC; h) (Ipc)₂BH, THF; then HOONa; i) Pyridine•SO₃, Et₃N, CH₂Cl₂; j) slight excess LDA, THF, -40 °C; k) TBSOTf, 2,6-lutidine, CH₂Cl₂; l) PhSO₂Cl, pyridine; m) Cl₃C₆H₂COCl, pyridine, DMAP; n) TBAF, THF; o) Dimethyldioxirane, acetone.

FIG. 23

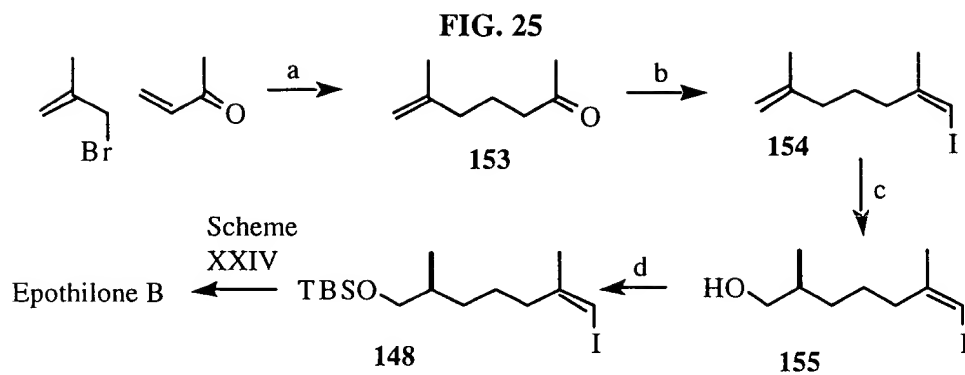


Key: a) Cr(VI), or pyridine \cdot SO₃, DMSO, Et₃N, CH₂Cl₂; b) LDA, 24, then 140; c] i) 123, Mg, ether; ii) CuBr \cdot DMS, DMS, ether; iii) propyne; iv) pentynyl lithium; v) 141, -40 °C, 36 hrs; vi) TMSOTf, -78 °C; d) (ipc)₂BH; then Cr(VI); e) 56a, THF, -78 °C; then silica gel; f) PhSO₂Cl, pyridine, CH₂Cl₂; g) dimethyldioxirane, acetone; h) chiral ketone 145, oxone, pH 7-8, aq. CH₃CN (Y. Shi, et al., J. Org. Chem., 63(23), 8475 (1998)).

FIG. 24



Key: a) AD-mix; then NaIO₄; b) NaBH₄, MeOH; c) TBSCl, pyridine, CH₂Cl₂; d) O₃, CH₂Cl₂; Me₂S; e) Ph₃P=CH-I, THF; f) *t*-BuLi, then Et₂AlCl, then 141, then TIPSCl; g) Quinolinium fluorochromate, CH₂Cl₂; h) 56a, THF, -78 °C; i) HF \cdot pyr, CH₃CN; j) PhSO₂Cl, pyridine, CH₂Cl₂; k) dimethyldioxirane, acetone.



Key: a) Zn/Cu, sonochem; b) Ph₃P=CH-I, THF; c) (Ipc)₂BH; then NaBO₃; d) TBSCl, pyr, CH₂Cl₂.

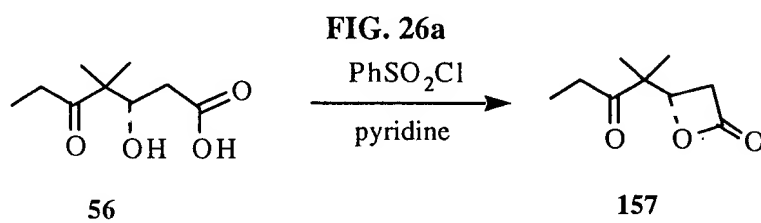
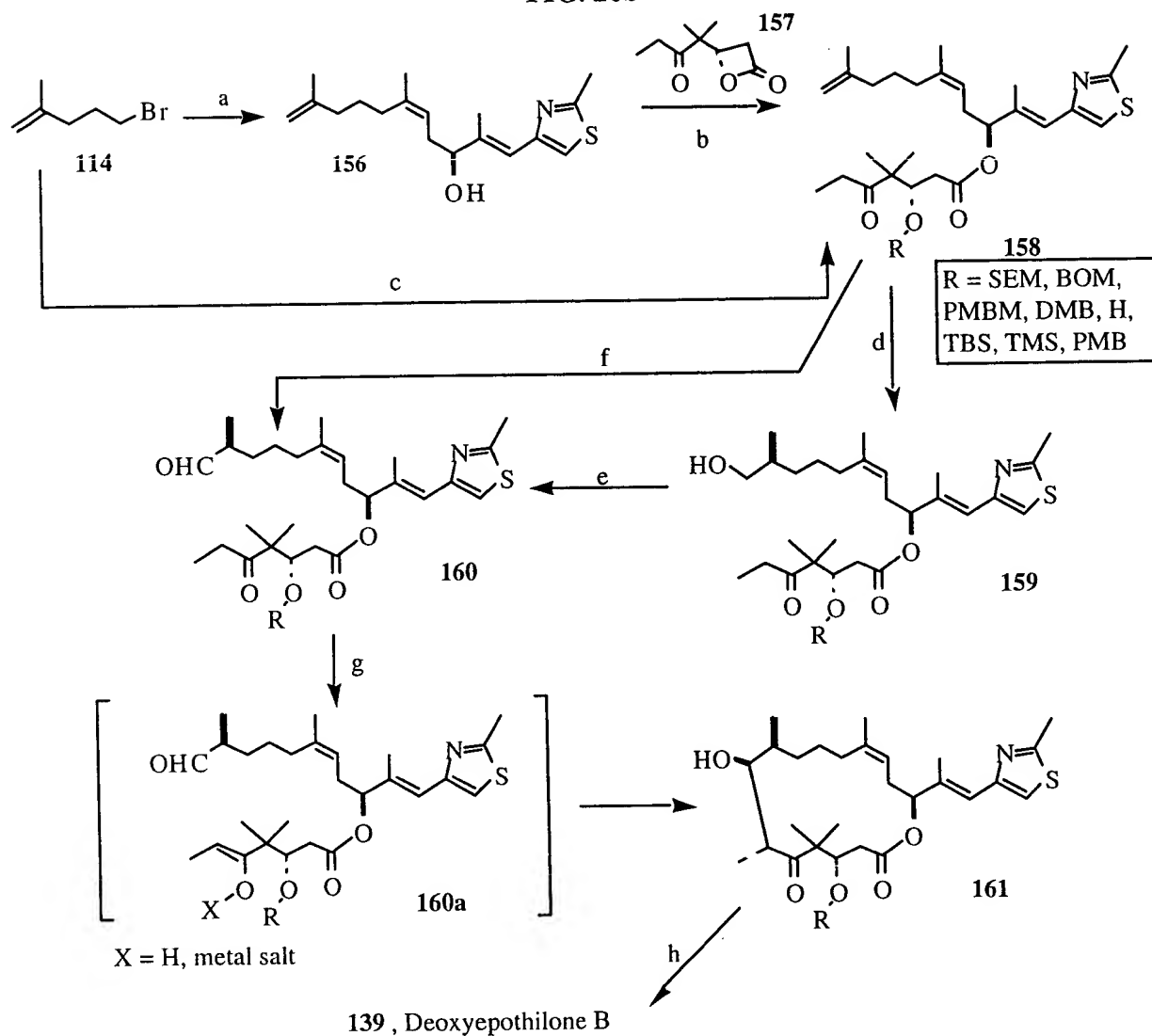
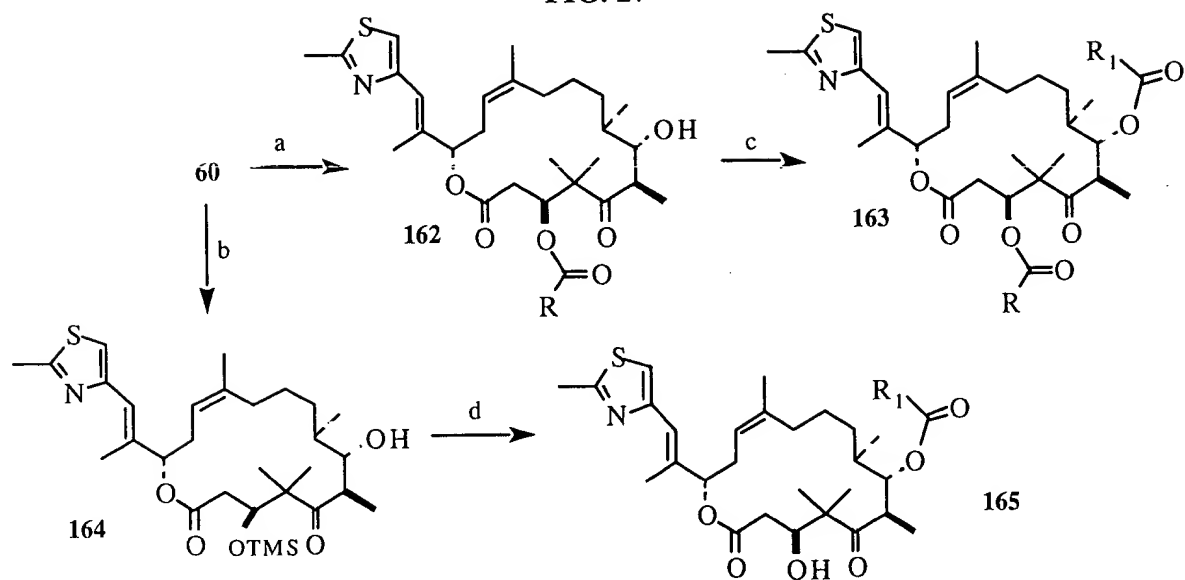


FIG. 26b



Key: a) Mg, ether; then propyne, Cu(I); pentynyl lithium; epoxide **143** (Scheme XXIII); then H_3O^+ ; b) β -lactone **157** (Scheme XXIII), pyridine, CH_2Cl_2 ; c) Mg, ether; then propyne, Cu(I); pentynyl lithium; β -lactone **157** (Scheme XXIII); then $p\text{-MeOC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_2\text{Cl}$ or other protecting group such as TBSOTf or TBSCl; d) $(\text{Ipc})_2\text{BH}$, THF; then LiOOH ; e) Swern Oxidation; f) $(\text{Ipc})_2\text{BH}$, THF; then PCC; g) Lewis or protic acid; or alternatively base catalyzed cyclization; h) DDQ, CH_2Cl_2 , HOH, buffer to remove the PMB, PMBM or DMB groups; Fluoride ion to remove Si based groups.

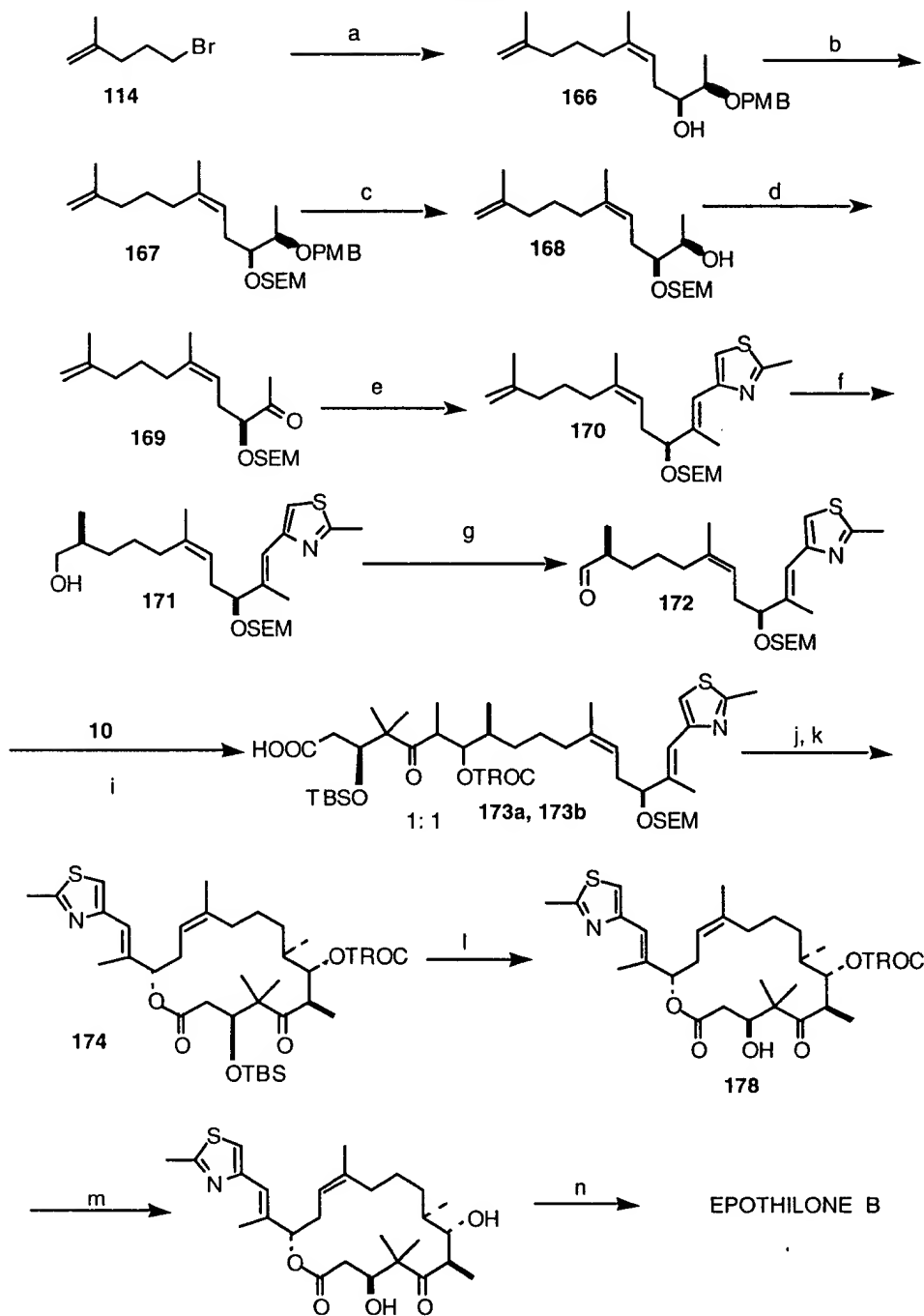
FIG. 27



Key: a) RCOX, pyridine, catalytic DMAP, CH₂Cl₂; b) TMSOTf, 2,6-lutidine, CH₂Cl₂; c) R₁COX, DMAP, CH₂Cl₂; d) R₁COX, DMAP, CH₂Cl₂; then silica gel. Where RCOX = active ester of usual variety.

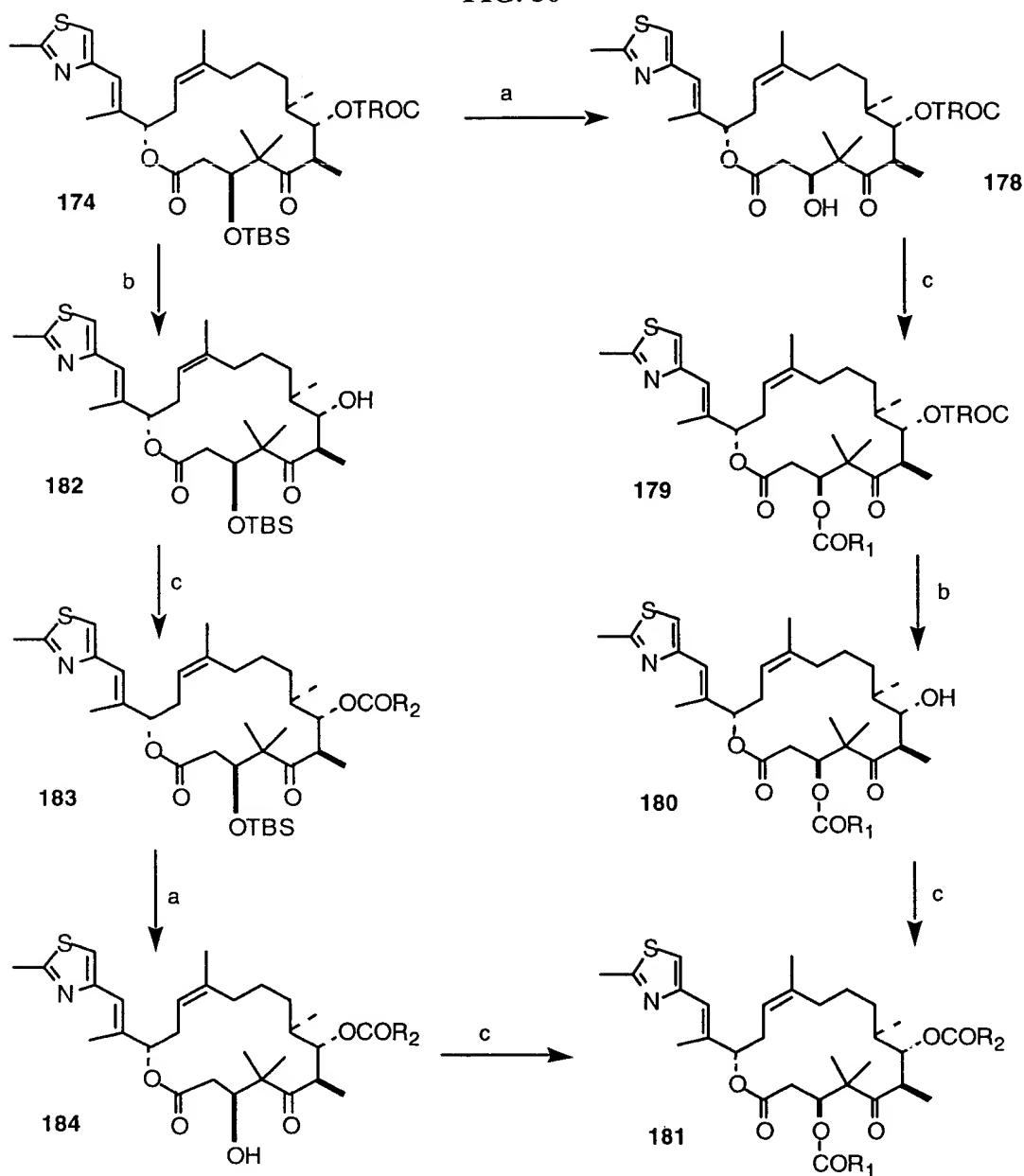
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FIG. 29



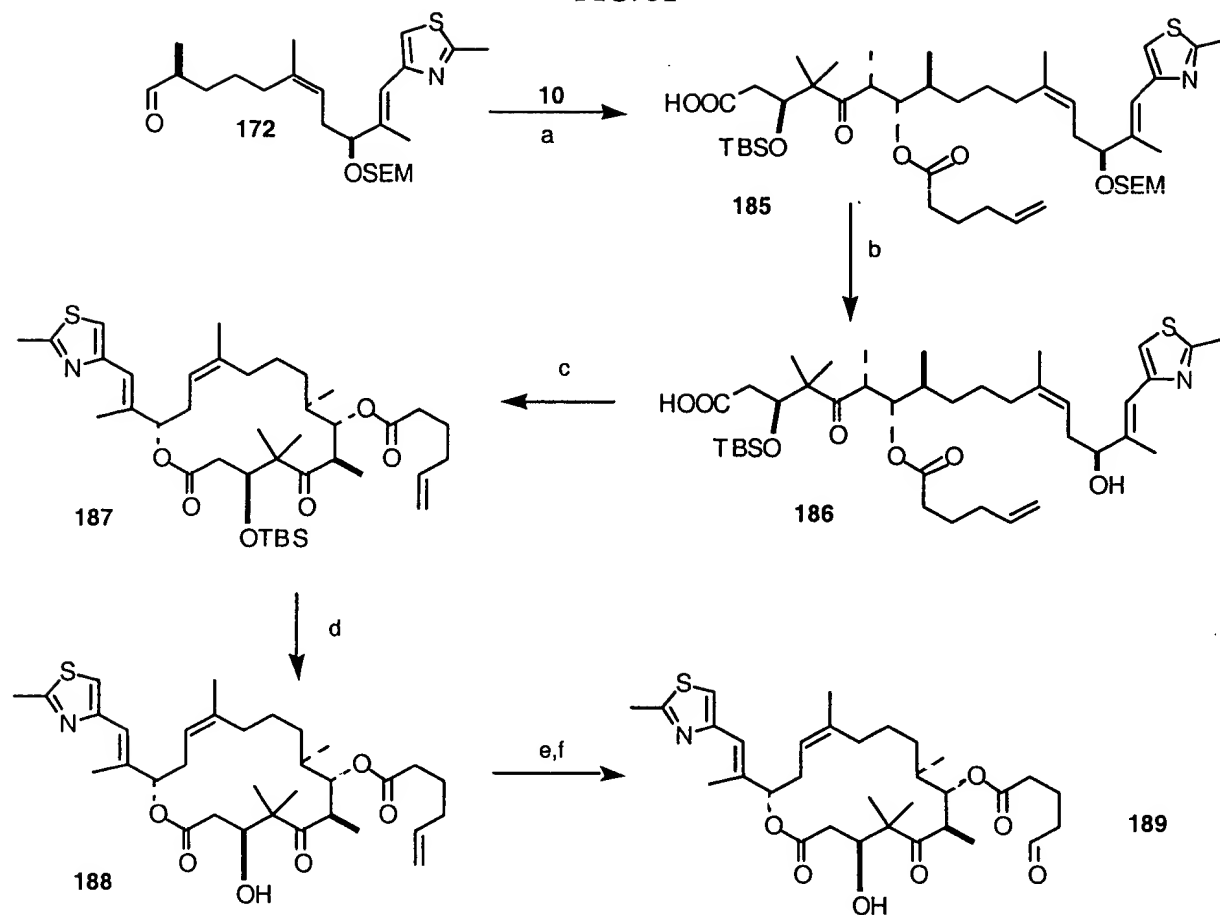
Key: a) i. Mg, ether; ii. CuBr•DMS complex, ether, DMS, -45°C; iii. propyne, -23°C; iv. Li-hexyne, HMPA, -78°C; v. 5c, -78°C to -25°C, 78%; b) SEM-Cl, DIPEA, CH₂Cl₂, 94%; c) DDQ, CH₂Cl₂, HOH; 85%; d) SO₃•pyr, TEA, CH₂Cl₂; 78%; e) 24, n-BuLi, THF, -78°C to R.T., 85%; f) (Ipc)₂BH, THF; H₂O₂, 82%; g) oxalyl chloride, DMSO, TEA, CH₂Cl₂, 88%; h) LDA, -78°C to -40°C, ZnCl₂; -78°C to -50°C, THF, 68%; i) TROC-Cl, DMAP, CH₂Cl₂, j) TFA, CH₂Cl₂, k) Trichlorobenzoyl chloride, TEA, THF, DMAP, toluene; l) HF•pyridine; m) Zn, HOAc; n) m-CPBA, CH₂Cl₂.

FIG. 30



Key: a) HF•pyridine, THF; b) Zn, HOAc; c) RCOOH, DCC, TEA, DCM.

FIG. 31



Key: a) LDA, -78°C to -40°C , ZnCl_2 ; -78°C to -50°C , THF, 68%; then $\text{CH}_2=\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{COCl}$, DMAP, CH_2Cl_2 , b) TFA, CH_2Cl_2 , c) Trichlorobenzoyl chloride, TEA, THF, DMAP, toluene; d) $\text{HF}\cdot\text{pyridine}$; e) vicinal dihydroxylation; f) NaIO_4 , THF, HOH.

FIG. 32

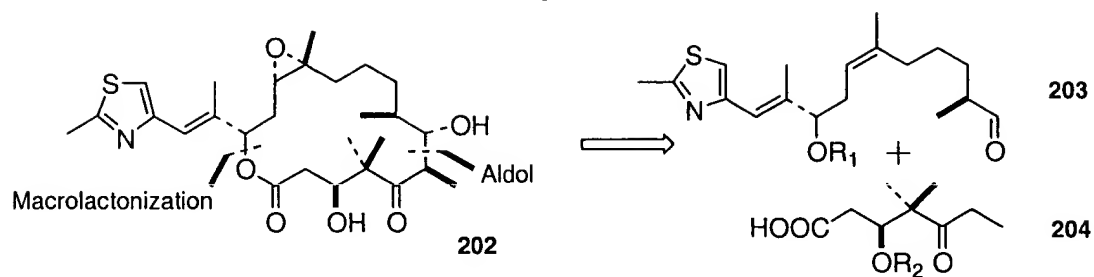


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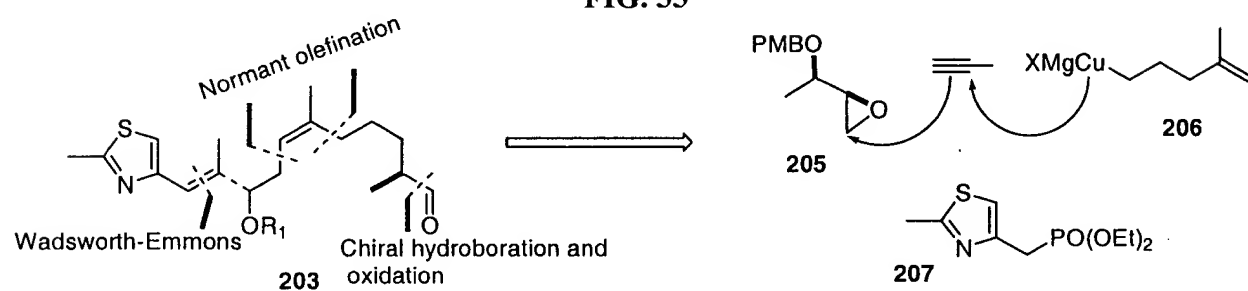
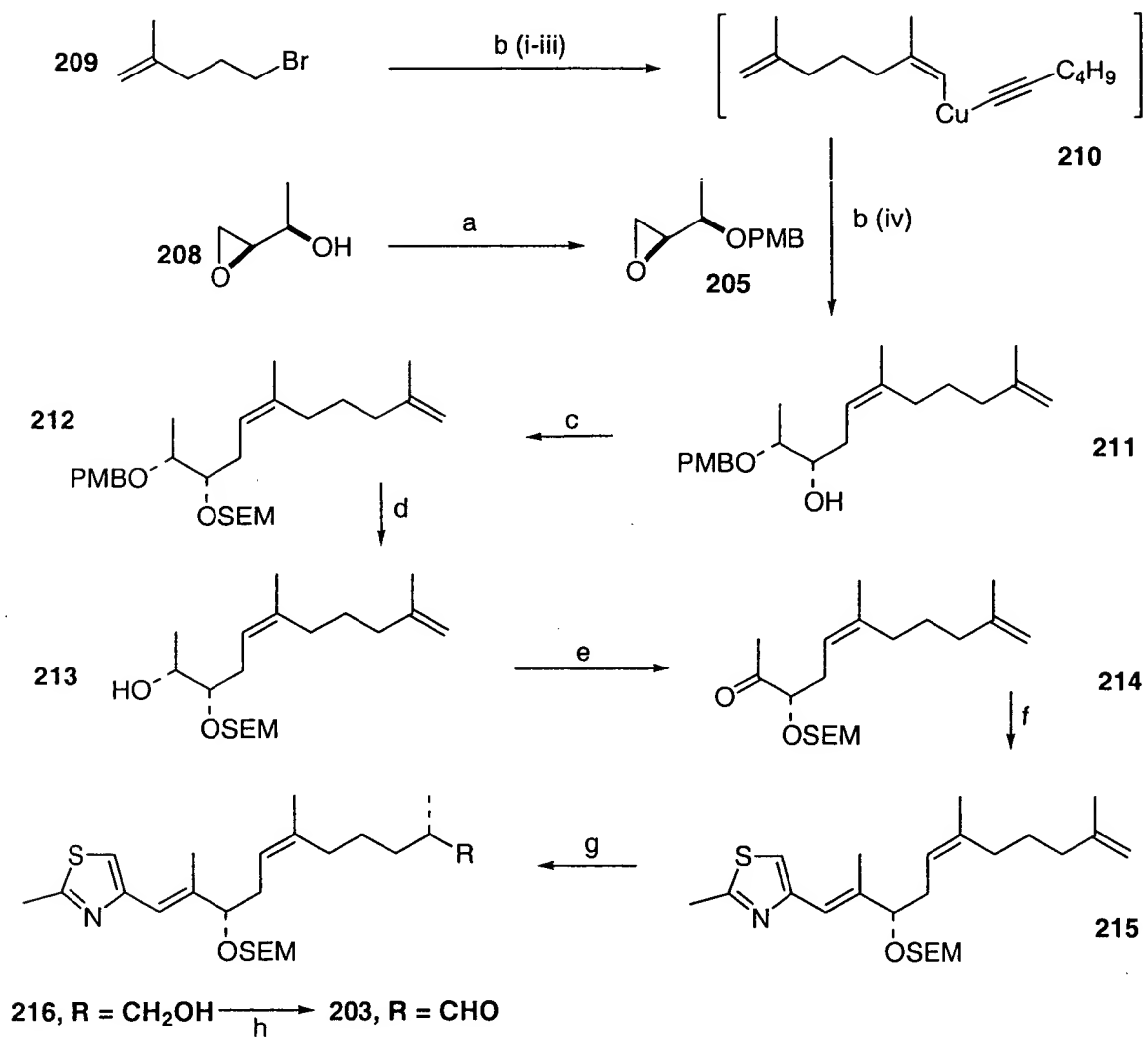
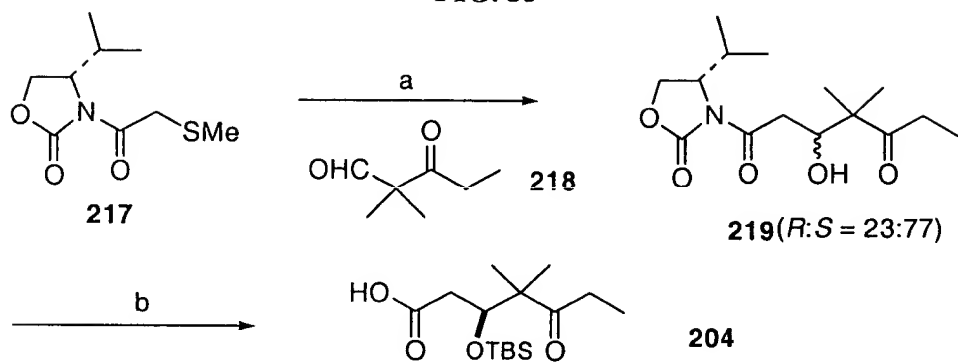


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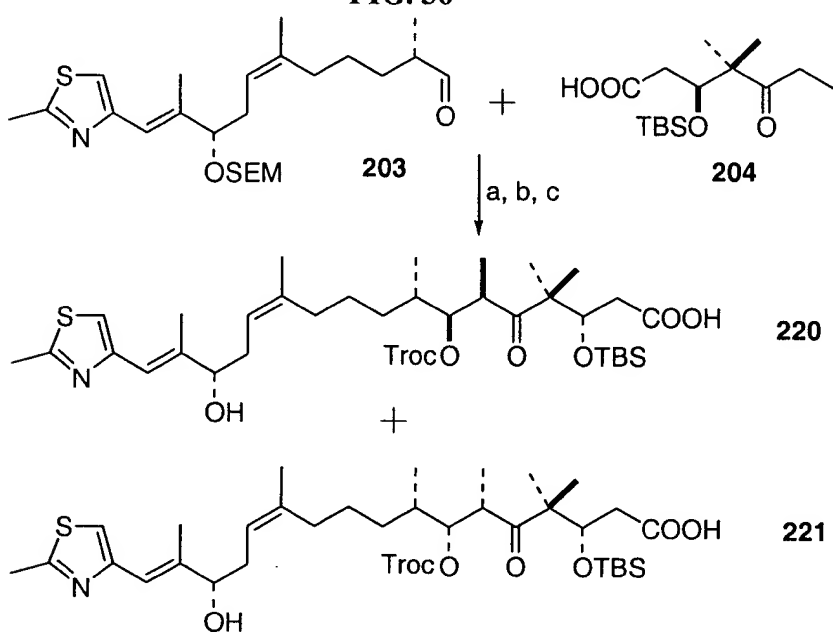
Key: a) PMB-Br, NaH, Bu₄N-I, THF, 0 °C, 85%; b) i) Mg, ether, rt; ii) CuBr-DMS, ether, DMS, -45 °C, 3h, iii) Propyne, -45 °C to -23 °C, 4h then lithiohexyne, -78 °C, 1h; iv) epoxide **205**, -78 °C, 1h, -25 °C, 24h, 76%; c) SEMCl, DIPEA, DCM, 0 °C, 92%; d) DDQ, DCM:water (8:2), 88%; e) DMSO, (COCl)₂, DCM, TEA, -78 °C, 85%; f) **207**, *n*-BuLi, THF, then **214**, 72%; g) (*i*-PC)₂BH, THF, 0.5h, aq. NaBO₃; and h) DMSO, (COCl)₂, DCM, TEA, -78 °C, 92%.

FIG. 35



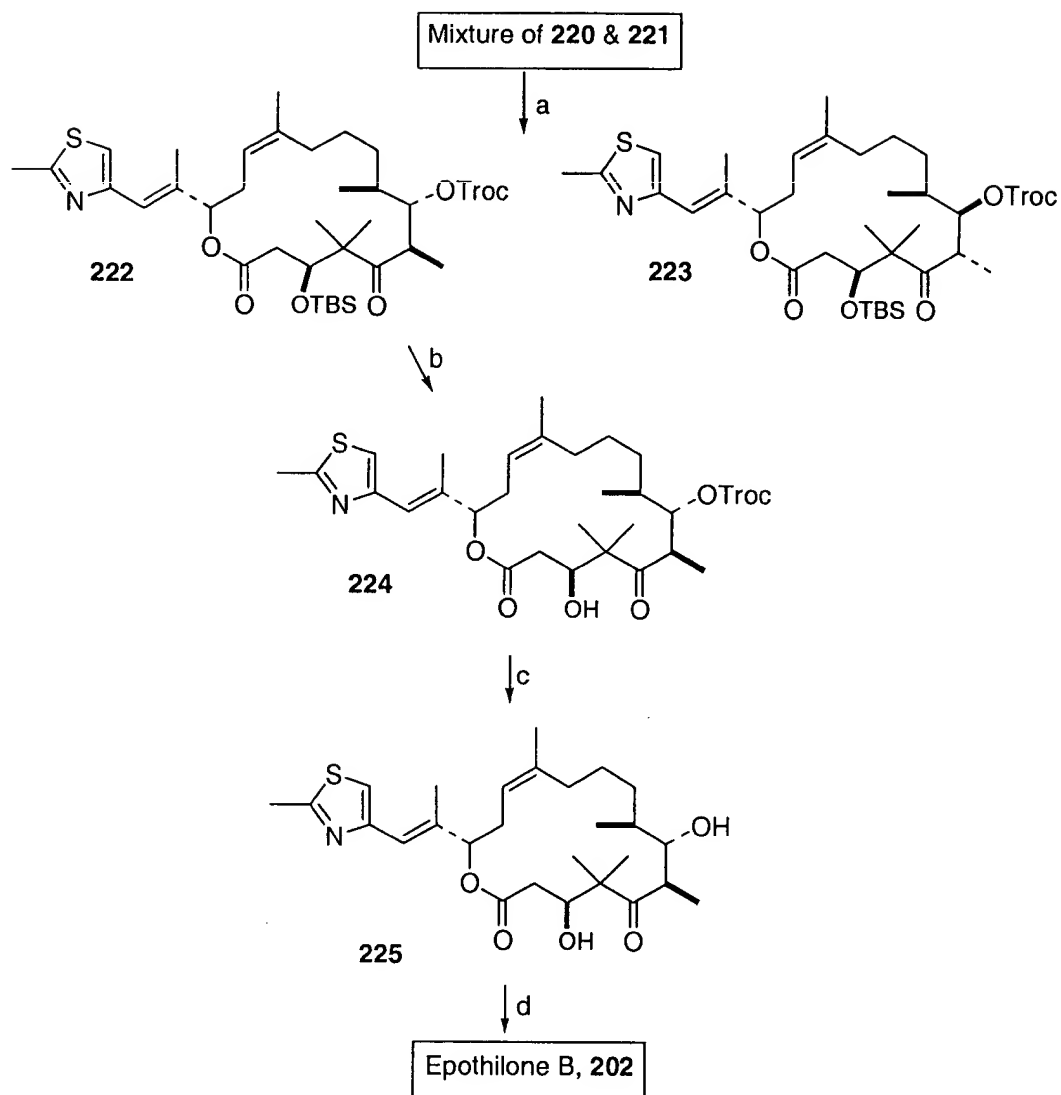
Key: (a) (i) Bu_2BOTf , DIPEA, CH_2Cl_2 , 0°C then add **217** at -78°C ; (ii) Raney Ni, acetone, 60°C , 45 min, 70% combined; (b) (i) TBDMSOTf, 2,6-lutidine, CH_2Cl_2 , 0°C to rt, 95%; (ii) LiOH, H_2O_2 , THF- H_2O , rt, 82%.

FIG. 36



Key: a) LDA, **204**, THF, -78°C to -40°C then to -78°C , ZnCl_2 , **203**, -78°C to -50°C , 0.5h; b) TrocCl, Py, DCM, 0°C ; c) TFA, DCM (3:7), -20°C , 1h, 63% (three steps).

FIG. 37



Key: (a) 2,4,6-Cl₃C₆H₂COCl, TEA, THF, DMAP, toluene, rt, 1h; b) HF-Py, DCM, rt, 95%;
c) Zn, aq. NH₄Cl, MeOH, reflux, 92%; d) [Methyl(trifluoromethyl)]dioxirane, MeCN, 0 °C, 56%.